GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Foreign visit – Visit of officials of YAT & C (Tourism & Culture) Department for participation in the various International Events during the Financial Year 2017-18 for Marketing and Promotion of Andhra Pradesh Tourism - Permission accorded – Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.E) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.2104 Dated :18.09.2017

Read the following:

1. From the YAT &C (T & C) Dept., File No.COT-1402/47/2017-FAIRS SEC-COT.
2. From the Chief Executive Officer, A.P. Tourism Authority, Vijayawada, letter No.597/Intl Events/C1/2017, dated 11.09.2017.

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ORDER:

In the circumstances reported by the YAT & C (T&C) Dept., and the Chief Executive Officer, A.P. Tourism Authority, Vijayawada in the references first and second read above, permission is hereby accorded to the officials of YAT & C (T&C) Dept., to participate in International events during the Financial Year 2017-18 for marketing and promotion of A.P. Tourism and also to promote "Sun Rise State" branding at International levels and to conduct cultural activities in each event, as detailed below:

Name of the Event	Place	Dates of visit	Name of the Member of Service/Officer
Japan Travel and Tourism Association Tourism Expo-2017	Japan	21.09.2017 to 24.09.2017	• Sri Himanshu Shukla, IAS, Chief Executive Officer, A.P. Tourism Authority.
China International Travel Mart	Yunnam, China	20.10.2017 to 22.10.2017	• Sri G. Gopal, Joint Director, APTDC • Sri T. Veparala Sudarsana Rao, Joint Manager, APTDC, Visakhapatnam.
Asia's leading Travel Trade Show	Singapore	25.10.2017 to 27.10.2017	• Sri R. Sreeramulu Naidu, Executive Director, APTDC / Regional Director, APTA.
World Travel Mart (WTM)	London	06.11.2017 to 08.11.2017	• Sri Mukesh Kumar Meena, IAS, Secretary (Tourism), YAT & C Dept. • Sri R. Mallikarjuna Rao, Joint Director, APTDC/APTA.

2. The expenditure on the above tour shall be met from the funds allocated to Commissioner of Tourism under Head of Account 3452-01-190-05-310-312 and shall be limited to the minimum possible and travel, hotel and other entitlements in accordance with the Government of India Rules. The officers shall obtain political clearance before undertaking the visit. The visit of the above officers is subject to obtaining necessary clearances from Government of India by the YAT & C (Tourism) Department and also subject to regulation (rescheduling/short-cutting/cancelling)

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owing to official exigencies when the presence of the officers is considered essential for the discharge of their official duties before the schedule departure.

3. The period of absence of the officers in connection with the above visit including journey time, both ways, shall be treated as on duty, during which the officers will draw their pay and allowances which they would have drawn but for their visit to Japan, China, Singapore and London. The officers are directed to follow the instructions issued in G.O.Ms.No.124, Finance & Planning, dated 31.08.2000, read with Circular Memo No.528/04/TA/2012. Dated 09.02.2012, for drawl of T.A. and D.A., etc.

4. The officers shall submit a report of their visit to the YAT & C (Tourism & Culture) Department and mark a copy to the Finance/General Administration Department, within one week soon after completion of the visit, specific with well-defined outputs of the visit that could be adopted for the State of Andhra Pradesh.

5. Dr. Srikant Nagulapalli, IAS, Secretary to Government, (Political), General Administration Dept., is kept FAC of the post of Secretary (Tourism), YAT & C Dept., during the foreign visit of Sri Mukesh Kumar Meena, IAS.

6. The Secretary (Tourism), YAT & C Dept., shall make necessary in-charge arrangements for the post of Chief Executive Officer, A.P. Tourism Authority during the foreign visit of Sri Himanshu Shukla, IAS,CEO, A.P.T.A

7. The Chief Executive Officer, Andhra Pradesh Tourism Authority, Vijayawada shall make necessary in-charge arrangements in respect of the posts of other officers during their foreign visit.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FMU-GAD-II) Dept., vide Fin.U.O.No.37027/159/FMU-GAD-II/2017, dated 01.09.2017.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DINESH KUMAR
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Officers concerned.
Dr.Srikant Nagulapalli, IAS, Secretary to Government (Political), GAD.
The Chief Executive Officer, Andhra Pradesh Tourism Authority, Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The YAT & C (Tourism & Culture) Department / GA (SC.A) Dept., Dept./Finance Department.
The Deputy Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions, Department of Personnel & Training, Training Division, Block-IV, Old JNU Campus, New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi – 110 067.
The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Economic Affairs, North Block, New Delhi.
The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of External Affairs, South Block, New Delhi.
The Under Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, Room No.8, FCRA-Division, Hospitality Section, Jaisalmer House, 26, Man Singh Road, New Delhi.
The Pay & Accounts Officer, Vijayawada.
The Accountant General (A&E) Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The PSs/PAs to the Special CS to CM/ Chief Secretary/Secretary (Poll.)/ Joint Secretary (AIS/L&O), GAD.
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